

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

The Non-Final office action of September 20, 2005 has been carefully reviewed and these remarks are responsive thereto. Claims 1-7 have been canceled. Claims 8-10 have been amended. New claims 11-15 have been added. No new matter is added.

Claim 1 was rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 102(e) as being anticipated by Sengodan (U.S. Patent No. 6,426,945). Claims 5-7 were rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 102(e) as being anticipated by Gardell (U.S. Patent No. 6,128,304). Claim 4 was rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a) as being unpatentable over Sengodan in view of Kumar (U.S. Patent No. 6,006,253) and further in view of Jorgensen (U.S. Patent No. 6,590,885). Claim 3 was rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a) as being unpatentable over Sengodan in view of Oran (U.S. Patent No. 6,275,574). Claim 2 was rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a) as being unpatentable over Sengodan in view of Kotha (Deploying H.323 Applications in Cisco Networks). Claims 1-7 have been canceled. The rejection should be withdrawn.

Claims 8-10 were rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 102(e) as being anticipated by Krishnaswamy (U.S. Patent No. 6,909,708). The rejection is respectfully traversed.

Claim 8, as amended, recites a router establishing with a gatekeeper, routing control channels in a control channel session. Krishnaswamy fails to teach or suggest a router establishing with a gatekeeper routing control channels in a control channel session.

Also, claim 8, as amended, recites receiving a status of the control channel session. Krishnaswamy fails to teach or suggest receiving a status of a control channel session. Krishnaswamy fails to teach or suggest a control channel session at all.

Claim 8, as amended, also recites that the router delivers the incoming video call to the destination address based on the received status of the control channel session. Krishnaswamy fails to teach or suggest a received status of the control channel session or the router delivering the incoming video call based on the received status.

Claims 9 and 10 and new claims 11-15 depend from claim 8 and are allowable for at least the reasons set forth above.

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CONCLUSION

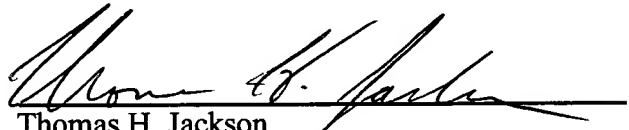
It is believed that no fee is required for this submission. If any fees are required or if an overpayment is made, the Commissioner is authorized to debit or credit our Deposit Account No. 19-0733, accordingly.

All rejections having been addressed, applicant respectfully submits that the instant application is in condition for allowance, and respectfully solicits prompt notification of the same.

Respectfully submitted,
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